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Federal Opportunities

Tech-Prep Demonstration Program. *The Department of Education* announces availability of funds to enable consortia described in Section 204(a) of Perkins III to carry out tech-prep education projects that involve the location of a secondary school on the site of a community college, a business as a member of the consortium, and voluntary participation of secondary school students. The deadline is September 17, 2001. Approximately \$5 million is a available to fund up to 10 awards, ranging from \$400,000 to \$600,000. For further information contact Chris Lyons at (202) 260-7744. Also see http://www.ed.gov/GrantApps/.

Well-Integrated Screening and Evaluation for Women Across the Nation (WISEWOMAN). The Centers for Disease Control announces availability of funds for WISEWOMAN program to use scientifically rigorous methods to test the effectiveness of a behavioral or lifestyle intervention aimed at preventing cardiovascular disease (CVD) and other chronic disease. Eligible applicants include State health departments. August 20, 2001. Approximately \$2,000,000 is available for 2 awards. Expected average per award is between \$750,000 and \$1,250,000. For further information contact Glynnis Taylor at (770) 488-2752 or gldl@cdc.gov.http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/01098.htm.

High School/High Tech Realignment Grants. *The Department of Labor* announces funds for the realignment of currently operating High School/High Tech programs. HS/HT is designed to provide young people with disabilities an opportunity to explore educational opportunities leading to technology-related careers. Eligible applicants are limited to the operator of existing

High School/High Tech programs. The deadline is August 10, 2001. For further information contact Cassandra Willis at cassandra@dol.gov. Also see http://www.dol.gov/dol/odep/public/programs/high.h tm.

District Opportunities

Watershed Protection Project Grants. The DC Department of Health, Environmental Health Authority announces funds to assist with controlling nonpoint source pollution, protecting the District's watersheds, and meeting the District's commitment to the protection and restoration of the Chesapeake Bay. Educational institutions, District government agencies, and nonprofit organizations are eligible. The deadline is August 17, 2001. Approximately \$300,000 is available. The Request for Applications is available from Sheila Besse, DC Department of Health, 51 N Street, NE, Suite 5024, Washington, DC 20002. For additional information, contact Sheila Besse at (202) 535-2241.

<u>Correction</u>: FY2001/2002 Housing Grant for People Living with HIV/AIDS. *The DC*

Department of Health, HIV/AIDS Administration announces funds to provide housing and other assistance to people living with HIV/AIDS. The primary target population is low-income persons living with HIV/AIDS in the District of Columbia. The deadline is August 10, 2001. Approximately \$3.5 million to fund the following program areas:

- Supportive Housing Emergency Shelter
- Supportive Housing Transitional Housing
- **ExClient Empowerment Program**



Applications may be obtained from 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 400 South, Washington, D.C. 20001. For additional information, contact the Office of Research and Analysis at (202) 727-7775. Also see http://www.cfo.dc.gov/services/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm.

Foundation Opportunities

The Eric Fund for Disabilities. The Eric C. Savader Memorial Disabilities Fund announces funds for individuals in the DC Metropolitan area to help provide assistive technology, devices and equipment that lead to greater independence and community involvement. Approximately \$10,000 is available total. Last year, five grants were awarded. There is no published deadline but interested applicants should contact the fund as soon as possible. For information, contact Ryan Costello at costelloryan@hotmail.com or (202) 955-3030.

Education and Youth. The Coca-Cola Foundation offers grants to tax-exempt nonprofit organizations to improve the quality of life in the community and enhance individual opportunity through education. The foundation supports educational programs primarily within three main areas: higher education, classroom teaching and learning, and international education. Scholarships for aspiring students; encouraging and motivating young people to stay in school; and fostering cultural understanding are priorities. The next deadline for applications is September 1, 2001. For more information, contact (404) 676-2568. Also see http://www2.coca-cola.com/business/community/foundation_coke.html

School-Based Dental and Mental Health Services.

The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation announces funds to support the development of sustainable models of dental and mental health services organized by school-based health centers. Programs should demonstrate effective ways to increase access for underserved populations. The deadline is August 10, 2001. Approximately \$3.4 million is available total to fund approximately 15 three-year projects. For more information, contact Annette Ferebee at (202) 466-3396 or ajf@gwu.edu. Also see

http://www.rwjf.org/app/rw_applying_for_a_grant/rw_app_cfp_abstract.jsp?cfpCode=abc.

Grants for Grassroots Environmental Groups. *The Belvedere Fund* announces funds to provide general support and project funding to state and regional environmental organizations, including toxics organizations and other multi-issue organizations that make environmental advocacy and organizing a high priority. The deadline is open. Grants will generally not exceed \$25,000. For more information, contact Catherine Lerza at (202) 293-0062. Also see http://www.belvederefund.org/

Resources & Announcements

Parks and Recreation Meeting/Program Space.

The DC Department of Parks and Recreation announces its Request for Space Program (RFS). This program is designed to allow selected community-based non-profit organizations to obtain free space within DPR recreational facilities for the purpose of developing various programs and community activities that will benefit targeted populations, to include adolescents, young adults, seniors, and the general community. Organizations will be selected through a two-tier application process described in the RFS. In addition, all successful applicants must fulfill the community service components described in the RFS. The deadline is August 17, 2001. Applications are available from 3149 16th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20010 at the first floor information desk. Information regarding the RFS can be obtained by calling Neil Rodgers at (202) 673-7665.

Proposal Budgeting Basics. *The Foundation Center—Washington, DC* announces a new session of the popular course "Proposal Budgeting Basics" on Monday, July 30th at 1pm. To register, call (202) 331-1400 or visit http://fdncenter.org/washington/pbbdc.html

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